COMMON COUNCIL FOR THE CITY
OF
WASHBURN, WISCONSIN

Resolution No. #08-017

Supporting Governor Doyle's "25 X 25"
Goals for Energy Independence

WHEREAS, the City of Washburn in July of 2005 was the first City to adopt a resolution supporting Sustainable Community Development as proposed by the Natural Step Program; and
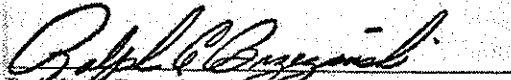
WHEREAS, the Office of Energy Independence was created by Governor Doyle on April 5th, 2007 with the mission to advance energy independence in the State of Wisconsin; the vision including generating 25 percent of the state's electricity and transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025, capturing 10 percent of the emerging bioindustry and renewable energy market by 2030, and leading the nation in groundbreaking research that will make renewable energy more affordable and will create good paying Wisconsin jobs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Washburn believes that energy independence is vital for the fiscal health of the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Washburn will benefit from partnering with the State of Wisconsin on achieving energy independence goals,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Washburn assembled this 24th day of November, 2008, hereby resolves to advance Wisconsin's vision for energy independence by supporting the State of Wisconsin's Office of Energy Independence's vision to generate 25 percent of the City's electricity and 25 percent of our transportation fuels from renewable resources by 2025 and become a community partner with the Wisconsin Office of Energy Independence.

Adopted by the Common Council for the City of Washburn, Wisconsin this 24th Day of November, 2008.

Ralph C. Brzezinski, Mayor

STATE OF WISCONSIN   )
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COUNTY OF BAYFIELD   )

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true, correct and complete copy of a Resolution #08-017 duly and regularly adopted by the Common Council for the City of Washburn on the

24th day of November, 2008 and that said resolution has not been repealed or amended, and is now in full force and effect.

Vicki E. Swanson, City Clerk-Treasurer